IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): SHAH, Arvind et al.

Group Art Unit: 1617

Serial No.: 10/622,299

Examiner: KANTAMNENI, Shobla

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For: COLORED COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS WITH PEARLESCENT AND

COLOR PIGMENT BLENDS

PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests an extension of time of two (2) month, to and including May 27, 2008, to respond to the Office Action dated December 27, 2007. Under 37 C.F.R. §1.7(a) when the last day to take action falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or Federal holiday within the District of Columbia, the action may be taken on the next succeeding business day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or Federal holiday, *i.e.*, April 28, 2008 without additional extension fees.

As authorized in the accompanying Credit Card Payment form provided with this Response, the Commissioner should charge fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1) in the amount of \$460.00 and any additional fees to Avon Products, Inc. Deposit Account No. 50-3782. Order No. CR44U-US.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 28, 2008 By: /Joan M. McGillycuddy/

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